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TYPHOID FEVER

Twenty-five Hundred Cases Predicted at Butler.

Nurses Being Hurried to that City From Many Places.

Doctors Can't Cope With the Disease--Stricken Men and Women on Streets--Will Cost an Immense Sum to Stamp out Epidemic.

Pittsburg, Dec. 5.—The consensus of opinion among the physicians now in Butler that before the fever has run its course there will be at least 1,800 people down with the scourge. They have investigated the watersheds and find that the disease is due to their pollution. In many of the households of Butler victims are raving and calling for ice.

The fever is burning them up and the thirty physicians of the town are unable to care for them all. From New York, Pittsburg and Cleveland special nurses are being sent to the town and they have taken in charge all the severe cases. Without medical attention many of the fever stricken have left their beds and in their wanderings about the streets frightened those who are free of the plague.

There is more or less friction between the Butler people and the committees that are trying to alleviate the suffering. Yesterday 23 nurses and a physician were sent from Pittsburg by Mayor William N. Hayes to go to Butler. They arrived there early in the afternoon and went to the court house for assignment. They met a number of the committee, one of whom in clerical garb demanded to know why Mayor Hayes sent such a crowd to Butler.

When the question arose where the delegation would sleep one of the Butler committee said they should find a bed on the street. Conditions in Butler are not known to the committee. There are at least 1,500 cases, and it now looks as if this number will be increased to 2,500 cases before January 1. In one district there are 45 cases, but the committee only knew of 10 in the district. It is now estimated that it will cost $100,000 to stamp out the disease in Butler, but men expert in the treatment of fever say that with the present force in Butler it will never be stamped out.

DENNY

QUITS COLE GLASS FACTORY AT LANCASTER.

Former Glass Workers' Leader Objects to Agreement Made With Men to Instruct New Men.

Lancaster, O., Dec. 5.—John L. Denny, former president of the American Glass Workers' association, who has been factory manager for C. P. Cole at his West Side glass plant, has tendered his resignation, to take effect at once, and is out of the glass business. He says he does not expect ever to be connected with the glass business again in any capacity.

Mr. Denny says the men now employed in the Cole factory, formerly members of the American Window Glass Workers' association, on Wednesday signed a contract with Mr. Cole, agreeing to instruct anybody Mr. Cole might send there in the work of blowing, gathering, flattening and cutting window glass, and that he would not stand for the management of a non-union factory, and so resigned.

He said he would not be a party to breaking up the glass workers' organization by taking in and instructing in the glass business anybody who made application for work.

Mr. Cole now has five shops working at his plant, and he has said, according to rumor, that he will never pay the union scale at his plant until he has filled the contract for 50,000 boxes of glass taken by him at a low figure, in order to start his plant.

It is intimated that Mr. Cole, incensed at the action of his workmen in repudiating the contract made by them to go to work at a 33 1-3 per cent reduction, is determined to fill his factory with non-union workmen and have them taught the trade.

If this is done it will be a severe blow to the Glass Workers' union, one of the strongest labor organizations in the country.

For years this organization has limited its apprentices to blood relatives of members of the union, and no one outside of the relatives of glass workers were allowed to learn the trade.

It is intimated Charles Hamilton, now foreman of the cutting room at the Cole factory, will succeed Mr. Denny as manager.

Mr. Cole refused to discuss the resignation or the future of the plant.

ONLY ONE WIFE, DECLARES REED SMOOT.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 5.—Reed Smoot, United States senator from Utah, does not fear the result of any inquiry likely to be made into his life for evidence of a plurality of wives. He says he has but one wife and has never had more than one. He declares Mrs. Smoot, who is to be in Washington this winter, is the only woman bearing his name or who has any right to bear his name and that Heber J. Grant lied when he said both he and Smoot had two wives.

SAME OLD GHOST IN THE CELLAR.

PENSION

Of $50 a Month is Asked for Wm. C. Lyon, Former Editor of the Newark American.

Washington, Dec. 5—Representative Hildebrandt of Ohio, has introduced a bill in the house pensioning former Lieutenant Governor William C. Lyon, former editor of the Newark, Ohio, American. He asks for $50 a month. Governor Lyon is now at his home in Xenia in ill health and threatened with blindness. Captain Lyon's present pension is $35 per month.

INAUGURATION

OF GOVERNOR HERRICK TO BE BIG MILITARY AFFAIR.

Swords, Bayonets and Cannon to be Prominent Features—Civilians in the Background.

Columbus, O., Dec. 5.—Orders have been given to cut evrything loose for Governor Herrick's inauguration. It is to be the biggest, loudest and most bumptious inaugural function in the history of the state. Everything is to be given over to the military, perhaps as a tribute to modern tendencies in American government. The civilian who ventures abroad on this occasion will look like thirty cents. Swords, bayonets and cannon will be on exhibition in numbers hitherto unknown at ceremonies which are primarily civil in character and which signify, if they signify anything, the superiority of the civil government in the state of Ohio. The spectacular gentlemen who are managing the affair, however, insist that the military spirit shall be rampant and that the suggestion of force shall far overtop the idea of law and peace, and so it will be.

NINE MILES IN 42 SECONDS.

The first question one usually asks in regard to a gun is, How far will it shoot? But with the artillerist range is not the measure of efficiency. The question rather should be, How much steel will the shot penetrate? As a matter of fact, the twelve inch gun will easily shoot a distance of nine miles. Standing behind the gun, it will require but little practice to follow with the eye the projectile in its flight. If the gun be elevated to twenty degrees, the projectile will be seen as a black speck to rise one mile above the earth before it begins to descend, and if the observer has a stop watch he will find that the shell takes just forty-two seconds to travel the nine miles, a velocity sufficient to girdle the globe in less than thirty-three hours. It is more to the point, however, to know that with 185 pounds of smokeless powder the new 40 caliber twelve inch gun will send an 850 pound armor piercing shell hurtling through 19.5 inches of harveyized nickel steel armor at a distance of 3,000 yards.--Lieutenant Commander Albert Gleaves in World's Work.

Capt. J. J. Pershing, who won fame and victory in his fights with the Moros in the Philippines, is in Chicago on a furlough.

The report of the auditor of the State of Iowa shows that there are 1,200 telephone companies in the State as compared with 700 last year.

AMERICAN SURGEON TO TREAT WILLIAM'S CANCER.

DR. GEORGE F. SHRADY.

New York, Dec. 5—Dr. Geo. Frederick Shrady, the New York physician called to Berlin to confer with Emperor William's medical advisers regarding the growth in the rule's throat is one of the most famous surgeons in the United States.

He is a great authority on cancer, and is consulting surgeon on that disease in Columbus, Willard, Parker and St. Francis hospitals in this city. Dr. Shrady is editor of the New York Medical Journal.

THIS MAPLE TREE A NATURAL FREAK

Cleveland, O., Dec. 5—Perhaps as peculiar a freak of nature as ever happened is the growth of a tree in Clifton park, neary Rocky River. The tree is a sugar maple and its peculiar growth is natural and not the result of grafting or training. It was photographed recently after the leaves had fallen. Few of the limbs are straight, being gnarled and bent to many peculiar shapes.

The largest factory of chemicals in the world is said to be the aniline and soda establishment of Baden. The works employ 148 scientific chemists, 77 technical engineers, 205 clerks and more than six thousand and sixty workmen.

Portugal is the most illiterate country in Europe; nearly 68 per cent of her population cannot write. In Italy the proportion of illiterates is 52 per cent; in Russia, 26 per cent; in Spain, 9 per cent, and in Britain not quite 2 per cent.

Two Poers of Rustenburg and Vanzyl have applied for admission as law students at Kings Inn, Dublin.

LITTLE SON

Secured Release of His Father From Prison—Boy's Letter Touched Governor's Heart.

Ithaca, N. Y., Dec. 5—After serving less than two years of a five year's sentence in Auburn prison for stealing $60,000 worth of bonds and $100,000 in jewelry, Charles D. Norris, formerly a car inspector here, has been freed through the efforts of his nine year old son.

Norris took the property from the private car of a wealthy theatrical manager, as it stood on a side track here. The theft was not discovered until the following day, but his arrest and the recovery of the property quickly followed.

When taken to prison a wife and three little sons were left to struggle for existence. They all secured employment and when Governor Odell visited the city recently, the eldest child, a boy of nine, penned a touching appeal to the chief executive for the father's pardon. He sealed it neatly and as the governor was about to board his car the little fellow handed him the letter. After investigating the case, the boy's plea was granted and Norris has been restored to his family.

BOY KING'S PALACE.

The Infanta Isabella, aunt of the king, a widow sixty years of age and the most popular person in Spain, formerly had a large suit of apartments on the main floor of the palace, but with her usual delicacy and thoughtfulness she vacated them after the recent coronation in order that they might be ready for the queen mother in case the king should marry. Isabella now lives in a private palace within a few blocks of the royal residence and is a daily visitor there.

The young king and his mother have large suits on the front of the palace facing the city. The king has very comfortable quarters, much more homelike than are usually found in royal palaces. He has a series of drawing rooms, a dining room larger than that at the White House at Washington, a library with about 6,000 volumes upon the shelves, mostly modern publications and current literature in all the European languages; a music room, a smoking room, billiard room, gymnasium and study, which is also used as an office.

His sleeping chamber is large and airy and contains two beds, one of which is occupied by his private secretary or one of his tutors, or aids, as they are termed since the coronation—Major Lorija, Major Castlejon or Count Andino. He is never allowed to sleep alone, and in an adjoining room sleeps Prudencio, his venerable valet, while two of his bodyguards are always in the anteroom, which must be passed before his chamber is reached.

Some of these rooms are occupied in common with the queen mother, but she has her own suit of five or six rooms adjoining, with access to the flat roof of a long wing which is occupied by the guards and the intendente or superintendent of the palace. This is arranged so that awnings may be dropped in hot weather and is decorated with palms and other plants and flowers. It also gives the king and the queen an opportunity for exercise, being about 400 feet long and 40 feet wide.--Chicago Record-Herald.

A NEW PLAN

Powers May Enforce Reforms in Macedonia.

Proposed International Movement Starts in Europe.

Cretean Idea to be Carried Out--Future Massacres to be Prevented and All Creeds to be Protected--Provides for Christian Rule.

London, Dec. 5—Negotiations begun by the powers may result in an international administration for Macedonia along the lines observed in the present government of the island of Crete.

It is given out that in order to prevent another Macedonian uprising in the spring, attended by unspeakable horrors and the danger of a war between Turkey and Bulgaria, Russia and Austria have proposed to the other powers that immediate steps be taken to put into operation a plan which in its general outline resembles that now enforced in Crete.

This proposal is the result of the acceptance in principle by the sultan three days ago of the Russo-Austrian note concerning reforms in Macedonia, which was submitted to the porte after the recent conference between Czar Nicholas and Emperor Francis Joseph.

According to the information obtained, the powers will this time unite in the appointments of a Christian governor of Macedonia. While it is intended that the Christians shall be protected there is also a determination that equal protection should be accorded the Mussulmans.

How the Russo-Austrian proposal will be received by the powers is not known as its presentation only accurred yesterday. It is believed, however, that it will be acceptable to France, Italy and Great Britain, but that it is likely to be opposed by Germany.

The Gjoa, with the Magnetic Pole expedition, has sailed for Greenland and will attempt to pass north of the American continent to Bering Strait. This will take the party near the North Pole.

Greece will erect a pavilion at the World's Fair, St. Louis, and will also make exhibits in several of the different departments. Among the interesting things exhibited will be reproductions of old Greek statuary.

ANTI-SALOON LEAGUE

Preparing Trouble for the Big Republican Majority in the Legislature--To Demand Increase of Dow Tax--Ward Local Option and Other Temperance Measures.

Columbus, O., Dec. 5—Among the troubles which the big Republican majority in the Seventy-sixth General Assembly will inherit as the penalty of playing both ends against the middle on the temperance question in the past, will proceed from the activity of the anti-saloon league. The league officials are determined to push sumptuary legislation to the utmost at the coming session. They claim to have enough pledges of support from Republican members-elect to carry any point they may urge, if they can only force compliance with the pledges. It is only fair to state that some of the Republican leaders deny that the league has made such progress among their brethren, but the fact remains that officers of the league are very emphatic in making their claims. The principal measures which will be pressed upon the legislature will be an increase in the Dow tax to $500 and the enactment of a ward local option law for cities. The league is very strenuous on both these points and claim that they have enough votes to insure their adoption.

Speaking on this subject Superintendent P. A. Baker of the league, gives a covert thrust at Senator Hanna and incidentally bears upon the objects

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COPPER KING'S DAUGHTER ASKS FOR DIVORCE; 400 GREATLY EXCITED

MRS. EVERETT MALLORY CULVER.

New York, Dec. 5—New Yorkdom is eagerly discussing the suit for divorce brought by Mrs. Everett Mallory Culver, daughter of the multi-millionaire Senator W. A. Clark, against Dr. Culver, and wondering what are the details behind the formal accusations.

It was learned that the papers in the case were filed in Westchester county and a referee was appointed in the supreme court there.

Although in line with the secrecy that has been maintained in the case, the proceeding is declared to be somewhat unusual, inasmuch as both parties are known to be residents of New York county.

Mrs. Culver has just returned from Europe with her little daughter, a

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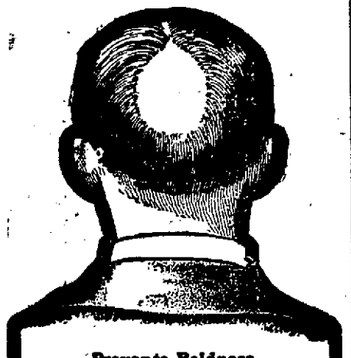

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AN ORTHOGRAPHIC SCRAP.

If Colombia 'gainst Columbia
Were to wage a bloody fight,
Were to bring her little army
And assail us in our might,
There is not a chance for doubting
Ere the little job was through
In that orthographic warfare
Of the o against the u.

This Columbia that we live in
Spells it always l-o-m,
But those other folks are Spanish;
It is different with them.
If they tackle us we'll have to
Make another Spanish stew
Of this orthographic warfare
With the o against the u.
—Baltimore American.

A Word to the Wise.

Cholly Choffer—And tell me, my good man, if an automobile runs over somebody in your little town is he fined?
Tarantula Pete—Nope; buried.

His Problem.

"Yes, sir," said Mr. Gillingberry; "I guess I've got one of the intellectualist families in these parts—always takin' up with something that calls for the exercise of the mental powers to their utmost."

"Is that so?" politely murmured the other man.

"You bet. Now, there's mother. She's upstairs this morning with a set o' newspaper puzzle pictures, an' if she solves them an' writes a good serial story to go along with 'em she gets at least a dollar; an' my daughter Lizzie is coverin' the dinin' room floor with sheets o' paper that she's been figurin' on tryin' to find out how old Ann is; an' Henry, he's determined to work the pigs in clover puzzle with three shakes an' a wriggle of his hand; an' Jim—that's Jim over by the fence—he's studyin' up a new way to work the fifteen puzzle. He's worked on that for ten years an' thinks he's pretty near got it."

"But you—what problem are you devoted to?"

"Who—me? My problem? Oh, I work out the puzzle of keepin' the family together."—Judge.

A Bunch of Don'ts.

Don't read. It may affect your eyesight.

Don't tell the truth. You'll get the reputation of being poor or silly.

Don't be dissatisfied with anything. If your bank breaks be thankful you didn't have more in it.

Don't lose your temper. Nobody will pick it up and bring it home even if they stumble over it.

Don't take advice. Give it. You'll be loved.

Don't pay your debts. It's the sure way to keep poor.

Don't do anything; do everybody.

Don't fret, don't cry, don't laugh, don't buy, don't sell, don't grieve, don't love, don't play, don't humor yourself in anything, don't breathe—don't—

Do anything but die!—Life.

A New Breed.

"I think he's the most intelligent hunting dog in this country," said the owner of the animal, proudly exhibiting him to his friend.

"When he makes a 'point' he turns his head and looks at me a moment and asks me as plainly as if he spoke it, 'Shall I go ahead and flush that bird?'"

"I see," said the friend. "He's an interrogation pointer."—Youth's Companion.

A Subtle Rebuke.

"Henrietta complimented me this morning," said Mr. Meekton. "We had a little argument, and she said I would make an ideal juror."

"Yes," answered the man who loves to dispel illusions. "You know the less a man knows about a case the better suited he is for jury duty."—Washington Star.

Accurate Aim.

"Young man," said the stern parent, "do you know what is the greatest aim in life?"

"Sure!" said the unregenerate. "That feller on th' Indianny wot smashed th' bullseye five straight at half a mile with a thirteen incher."—Baltimore News.

Due to Smiling.

"He has such a smiling countenance."

"What? The man's face is a regular fight. What with the rum blossoms and"—

"Well, it's his continual smiling that has made his face that way."—Philadelphia Press.

Celebrated Book.

"What a love of a book that new author has got out!"

"Yes, yes. Such beautiful binding, and a pink ribbon bookmark given away as a premium to every purchaser!"—Atlanta Constitution.

An Easy Matter.

"He's as bad as a monkey on a stick."

"Why so?"

"Because he requires so little urging to make himself ridiculous."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

CARNEGIE'S PARTNER WEDS IN BATTLE ABBEY

Mr. J. Phipps, one time of Pittsburg, Andrew Carnegie's former partner, was married a short time ago in Battle Abbey, England, to Miss Marguerite Grace, of New York. Battle Abbey is a famous old pile built on the scene of the battle of Hastings, where William the Conqueror and his Normans utterly routed the Saxons after a pitched battle. Mr. Phipps is many times a millionaire and is making his home in England.

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his organization has in view when he says:

"The struggle before us in the coming general assembly is for the passage of a ward local option law that will give protection to residential districts of our city. Such a measure will be passed of Republican leaders will keep hands off and permit legislators to vote their sentiments and the sentiments of their constituents. The league has taken a position that party leaders ought not to be involved in this question, and all it asks is that they do not interfere. The brewers are claiming both in private and through the public prints that they have the promise of Republican leaders who will control that there shall be no temperance legislation this winter. If this be true the age of buying the right to commit wrong has reappeared. Although the testimony is strong, and from many sources, that one of the chief party leaders of Ohio is using his great influence with members to prevent the passage of a ward bill, we are unwilling to blieve that he or any others high in authority will be able to prostitute the dignity of high positions to the low level of the saloon lobbyist."

This sounds very well, but its real meaning will not be apparent until it is understood that the individual whom Superintendent Baker is driving at in the foregoing statement is Senator Hanna. There are good reasons for declaring, and league officials certainly believe, that Hanna has given his promise to put the screws on any further attempt to enact anti-saloon league legislation at the coming session. The officers of the league understand that they will have to fight the Hanna machine. The result will indicate once more whether the power of the Republican boss in the legislature is superior to ante-election pledges made by the Republican candidates to get votes. Bets are now about even between the boss and the league and both are confident.

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Ex-President Grover Cleveland and Joseph Jefferson, the actor, are fishing at Meddybempe Lake, which comes very near being the tip end of the United States on its Eastern boundary.

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NOTICE.

Special meeting of the Bar Tenders' Union Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. All members are notified to be present. Business of importance. 4-2t

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NOAH ANDREGG.

BEATIFUL ACTRESS BLOSSOMING INTO A STAR.

One of the most beautiful young actresses on the American stage today is Florence Rockwell, who is in the cast of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" which Nat Goodwin is producing at the New Amsterdam theatre in New York. Miss Rockwell has been on the stage for several seasons, usually in the support of some well known star, and her work this year shows so much improvement that it is safe to say that she is one of the coming lights of the American stage.

When Your Cold Catches You Just There

There is No Time to Wait.

It is **not** a "little thing." It's a **deadly** thing. It will not "get well by itself" if you let it alone. Whiskey and quinine and such things brace you up for the time, but they don't cure you.

Ask any intelligent doctor why you catch cold so easily. He will say, "Because you are a bit run down." He means that the force which nature placed in your body to keep out disease germs—the resistive force—is weakened. The door is open a little way toward disease.

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There has been started in Malden, Mass., a goat farm for the production of goat's milk. The promoters expect that there will be a large demand for the milk, especially for the dietary treatment of sick babies.

London claims during the past year to have had fewer murders and fewer burglaries than in previous years. There has also been no case of murder in which there was failure to bring the perpetrator to book.

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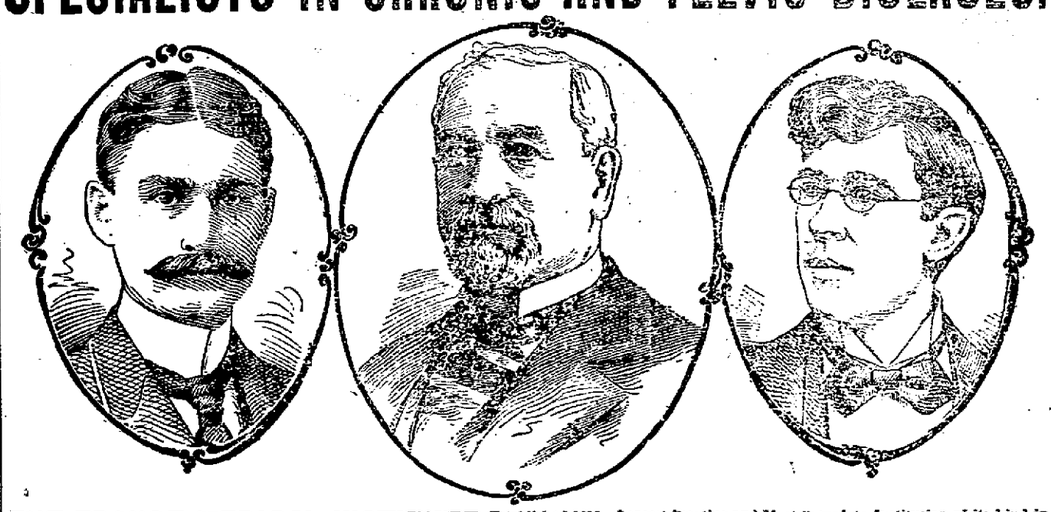

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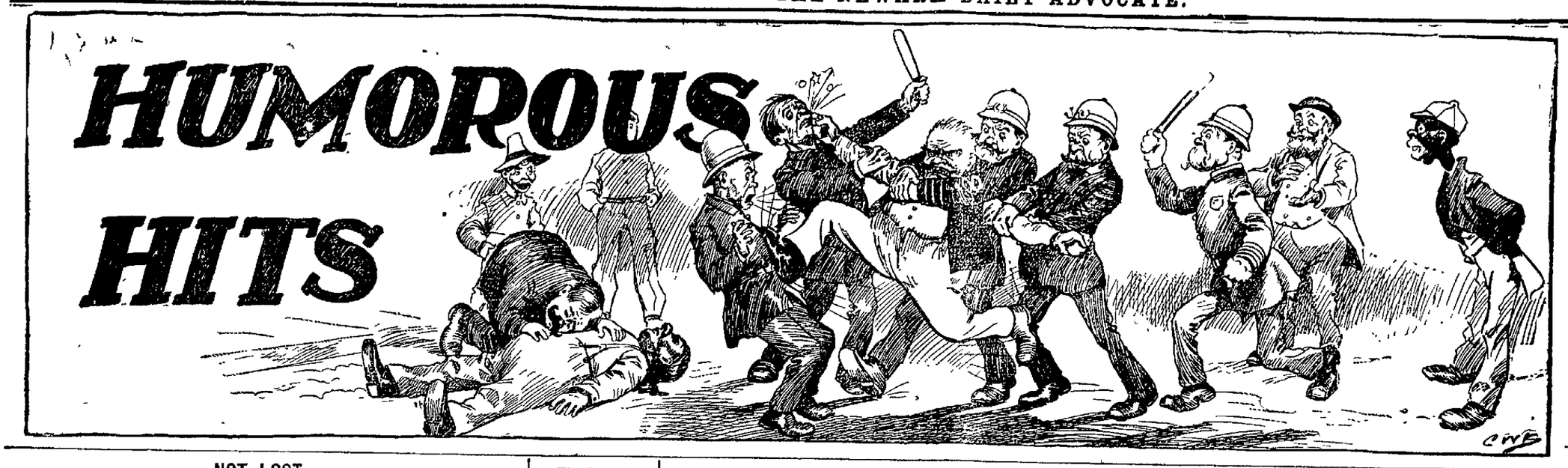

NOT LOST.

Lady: "Have you lost yourself, little boy?"
Little Boy: "No—boo, hoo! I've found a street I don't know!"

The Worst.

Magistrate—You must be subjected to a great many temptations you are up before me so often

Prisoner—Dat's de fac', boss Dis here am de world of temptations and trials But de trials hit me de hardest, boss.

Juvenile Philosophy.

Sister — There! You have candy all over your new suit. What will mamma say?

Little Brother — Well, mamma will not let me have any fun in these clothes till I get 'em spoiled

Both Speculations

Mrs Grumpey—I do wish that you would stop speculating on the board of trade It's only a game of chance

Grumpey—So is marriage Do you want to stop being married?

THE LUCK OF LUCKY LUCAS.

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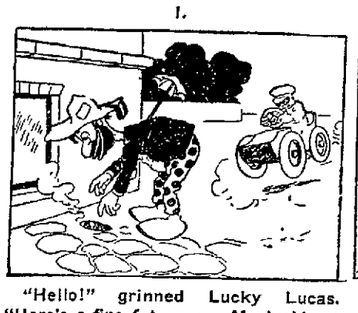
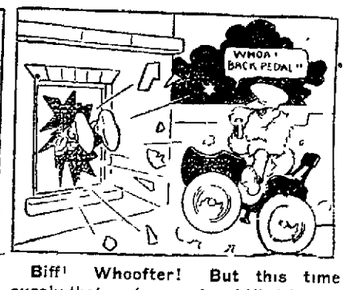


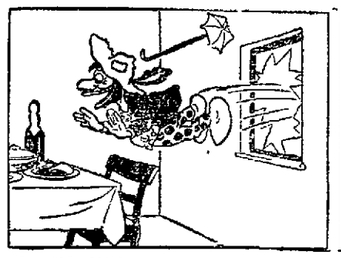
"Hello!" grinned Lucky Lucas. "Here's a fine fat cigar. Me luck's in again for sure!"

II.



Biff! Whoofter! But this time surely that motor car has biffed Lucky Lucas' luck to smithereens.

III.



Has it? We're not so certain. You see, that motor biffed him clean through a window—

IV.

—and right into a room where there was a scrumptious lunch all ready! We rather fancy he's still in luck.

A Weight Off His Mind.

She—And if I should refuse to marry you, then what?

He—Then all the doubt and fear that have been in my mind for months would be removed and I should be happy.

Played Out Then.

"Did you ever play poker all night?"

"Well, no"

"You are not an enthusiast, then?"

"Oh, yes But a good player does not need to play with me longer than thirty minutes"

Appreciated.

"That Mr Racetout is so interesting! He seems to be a very polished gentleman," said Miss Gusher

"Yes," said the man who knows him He's not only polished he's positively slick"

DIFFICULT TO GET HOLD OF.

Jones (furiously)—Do you know, I've married a young woman through a matrimonial agency, which stated her to be a countess, whereas I find she is only a cook?

Brown (interestedly)—A cook! You lucky dog! Now you'll get your meals sent up decently, old man.

THE ATHLETE AT HOME.

Er boy hab sech contrariness
Hit's cla' beyond control.
He wants de bigges' dumbbell an'
De smalles' hod o' coal.

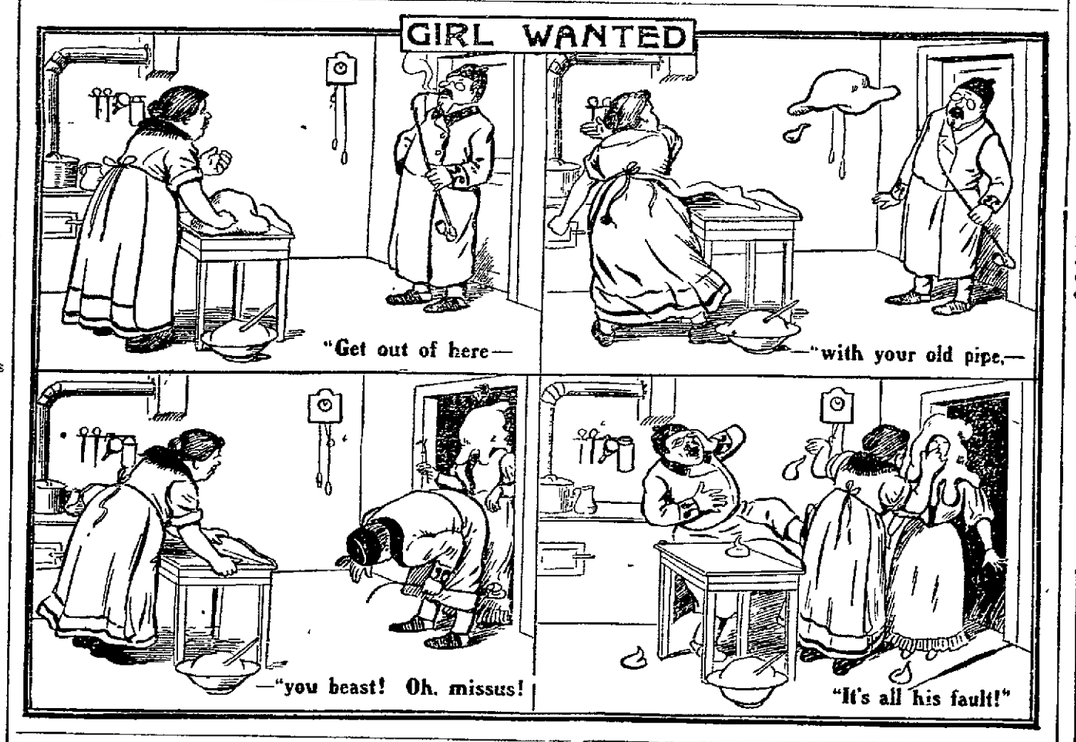
POOR.

"Spare me!" cried the fair captive.
"Poor girl!" mused the savage king.
He stood a moment in thought.
"However" he presently remarked,
"I have eaten poorer Yes"

THE PHILOSOPHER.

"A woman," said the corn fed philosopher "gets mad at a man if he be awkward in making love and gets madder if he makes love as if he had lots of experience"

GIRL WANTED



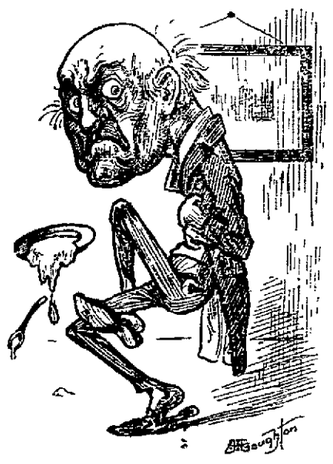
"Get out of here—

—"with your old pipe,—

—"you beast! Oh, missus!

"It's all his fault!"

IT WOULDN'T COME OFF.



They brought him food and said with guile,
"You'll find this stuff about your style."
The victim tries to raise a smile—
The smile that won't come off.

WILL HAVE IT.

That woman cannot throw at all
All know, yet poets sing.
And other people quite agree.
That she will have her fling.

HINT FOR THE MILLION.

There was a man in our town
About a giant's size
Who nearly starved to death because
He wouldn't advertise.

And when he weighed but forty pounds
He grasped his rusty pen
And wrote an ad and published it,
And now he's fat again.

A HARD BLOW.

He—But I still don't dare to confess to your father the extent of my debts.

She—What cowards you men are! Papa is as afraid to tell you about his.

THE WOMAN OF IT.

"How well Miss Elderley carries her age doesn't she?"
"But she must be accustomed to it by now."

A STORY WITH A MORAL.

I.

He'd been fishing and fishing all the blessed day, but no bite came his way when an idea struck him, and he went and fetched a bottle of Scotch.

II.

And he had a drink. Still no bite. So he had another drop of Scotch and another—

III.

—and another until his spirits were very low But his perseverance was at last rewarded with a bite.

IV.

And he landed the most horrible, awful looking monster that ever was seen by mortal eye.

THE TWINKLE.

Twinkle, twinkle, little star,
Famous actress that you are!
Twinkle now, for you'll get fat,
And you can't twinkle after that.

HER FEARS.

He—If your head aches my dear I wouldn't go to the sewing circle this evening

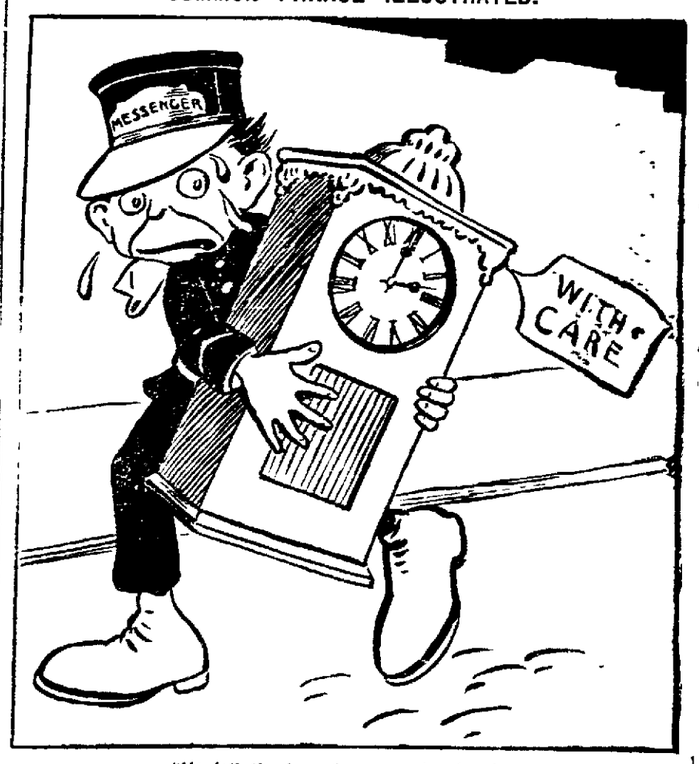
She—Then the other women will be sure to talk about me

LOVE.

Mr Baldspot—So you think love is like a photographic plate, eh? And why pray?

Miss Flippe—Why, it takes a dark room to develop it, you goose!

COMMON PHRASE ILLUSTRATED.



"He felt the time heavy on his hands."

BREVITIES

THE HALL OF FAME.

John Palmer, a full blood Ponca Indian, has been admitted to the bar in Oklahoma.

Ex-Queen Ranavulo of Madagascar is living in Algiers on a bare allowance from the French republic

Joseph Chamberlain gets his recreation by working in his garden. He reads his newspapers in bed

James J. Woodward has conducted business in the same house in Somersworth N H., for sixty years.

John T Knox of Los Angeles, Cal., and A T Sullenger of McLeansboro, Ill., are the sole known survivors of the Black Hawk war

M. Van Dusen, eighty-one years of age living in Manchester, Ia., claims the distinction of being the first creamery buttermaker in the world

Colonel Augustus Jacobson of Chicago who was an aid-de-camp to General Sherman, has bequeathed $15,000 for the education of poor children.

J C Belknap of Manchester, N. H., the veteran trapper, has taken five foxes, four coons, four minks and eight muskrats, besides smaller game, so far this season

Washington Grayson, a Creek Indian, twenty one years old, who recently graduated from a military academy in Texas, has been appointed a lieutenant in the constabulary force of the Philippines

Hon William F Cody (Buffalo Bill) writes from England that he is making his last trip as a showman and that upon his arrival home he will disband the Wild West show and spend the remainder of his life in peaceful pursuits in Wyoming.

James T Barker, a well known and prosperous farmer of Middletown, R. I., has a big orchard of some 200 trees, and to Mr Barker belongs the unique distinction of being the only fig farmer in that and, as far as he is aware, in any other New England state

Maine's oldest typesetter, Martin C. Dilworth of Belfast, who has had sixty years of active service at the case, has retired He is seventy-six years old, and, though he is still able to do a good day's work with the best of them, he thinks he has earned a vacation

PLAYS AND PLAYERS.

Grace George opens her London engagement April 14 in Wyndham's theater.

Adelaide Thurston is touring successfully in Paul Wilstach's play, "Polly Primrose."

Maude Allison, the popular dialect comedienne, will next season be starred in a new comedy drama entitled "Minne From Minnesota"

Charles Frohman has arranged with Liebler & Co to have Eleanor Robson appear in one of his London theaters in September in Israel Zangwill's comedy, "Merely Mary Ann"

William Furst, the well known composer and musical director at the Belasco theater, New York, is writing the music for "The Raven" the dramatization of the life of Edgar Allan Poe.

Alfred Henry Lewis is writing a play the scenes of which are laid in Jackson's time, the principal character to be Peggy O'Neil The play is not based upon his book of the same name.

George Fawcett the Baltimore actor-manager, has leased another theater in Baltimore, this giving him two stock organizations in the same city. This new theater he has christened the Oriole

EDITORIAL FLINGS.

There is yet every reason to hope that Russia will pause in her mad and reckless Korea.—Boston Herald.

But then the very name of Wos y Gil for the presidency was enough to start a revolution in Santo Domingo.—Cincinnati Tribune

The crush at spectacular marriages may become so great that it will be difficult to distinguish the wedding bells from the ambulance gong.—Washington Star

England has a club for women called the Stay at Home society. It would be perfectly safe to wager that the men approve of this organization.—Washington Times.

Old Popocatapetl volcano is for sale at $5,000,000 The trouble with this investment is not "water" exactly, but that it might go up in smoke.—Philadelphia Republic

Andrew Carnegie has just paid taxes on $160,000,000 worth of property in New York without asking for a reduction There's no use talking. Carnegie has a queer streak in him somewhere.—Chicago Record-Herald.

WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

An immense plaster model of the new Union station in Washington will be shown in the Transportation building.

A cat show will be a feature of the live stock department It is predicted that the largest and finest collection of felines the world has ever seen will be on exhibition at the fair

The Amazon valley will have a striking exhibition. Every important product of this wonderful region will be shown, besides many curious exhibits of little known native life

The Massachusetts state building is to be a reproduction of the historic colonial house in Cambridge where Washington established his headquarters during the siege of Boston and which later was the home of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

Kate Clyde . . . .

Uses a Few Words In Praise of Men and a Good Many In Praise of the Subdued Tones of Today : : : : : : :

THERE is one thing to the credit of men, and I am going to say it right now, considering that I have said so many things not to their credit—men don't backbite each other! But, oh, sorrow, listen to the women! It is sufficient to set the ball a-rolling.

"Wasn't it too bad that Miss Blank fainted at that reception?"

"Yes: it was so sudden too. I just saw her a moment before. She was so full of life!"

"Some of these things are so sudden."

"She didn't look very ghastly when she did faint."

The floodgates of scandal are open.

"Oh, some people faint easily—tee, hee, te, hee!"

"Poor girl!"

"Yes, poor girl! When she can't attract attention any other way she can always faint."

"Oh, by the way, speaking of her fainting, I once heard"—

Etc. The floodgates of scandal are open as sure as all the girls concerned are sure of each other.

Oh, lovely feminine charity!

The Girl Who Does Things.

And, speaking of girls, I can't repeat too often that it is the girl who does things in this world who is attractive, both to men and to her own sex, which last counts a little, too, in the long run. You may not be able to do great things, to paint great pictures or to sing in grand opera, but you can learn to sketch a little, to make bright little things for yourself and your friends and to play the light, "catchy" airs of the day so that your friends will enjoy them, and if you can't do anything else cultivate the art of talking brightly and of being sympathetic.

But when a girl has a great gift and the means and the time to cultivate it she is certainly lucky.

It is my belief, anyway, that every girl can do one thing well if she will only take the trouble to find out what that thing is. The difficulty is that she often looks in the opposite direction, she wants to do something great and showy or nothing at all. But there are other talents within reach if she will only look, and these talents may be such a comfort to her in her dark hours that they will make life better and happier both for her and those about her.

How the world likes a cheerful, plucky girl who makes a brave fight and hides her skeleton in a closet instead of folding her hands and whining because things don't come her way, the girl who puts her own griefs as much as possible aside, who takes a whole some interest in life and in improving herself!

Cultivate the art of talking.

Subdued Colors.

I can't help noticing how much more subdued colors are becoming both in dress and in interior decoration. Everything seems to have mellowed so that all the tones are restful to the eye. There is hardly a gown of three colors, and there are many all of one shade with the lace dyed to match. In rooms everything harmonizes in with one color scheme.

The dull browns and greens used in the new furniture are responsible for much of the restfulness of the new style of interior decoration

Never before has it been possible to furnish so well and so cheaply. The day of furniture frauds is past. We rarely see imitation mahogany, imitation inlaid and poor quality gilt. If we cannot afford the real mahogany furniture and the real inlaid we can leave that sort of thing alone and use instead mission furniture, which is both inexpensive and pretty, and wicker chairs stained soft green or brown and fitted with bright red or green cushions. Then for curtains with this sort of furniture there are soft hangings of madras with their sheer backgrounds and their queer, fascinating figurings. A room fitted in this way only needs soft shaded candle light or a red lamp to make it entirely artistic.

And, speaking of interior decorations, what more satisfactory Christmas present than a pillow or a picture for some one's own particular den? And it's about time to think of those same Christmas presents too.

Animal Friezes.

Have you seen the fascinating animal friezes done on a soft brown background, just the very thing for the walls of the nursery, and the Dutch pictures for children of a larger growth, the fascinating windmills and peasant children with their huge wooden shoes and baggy trousers? Then there are old English coaching scenes and the Pickwick scenes, with their artistic touches of red and brown.

For the more serious minded there are little square frames holding a printed sentiment from some philosopher, ancient or modern. One of them, a quotation from President Roosevelt, would be very much appreciated by the strenuous man or woman: "The law of worthy life * * * is fundamentally the law of strife. * * * It is only through labor and painful effort, by grim energy and resolute courage that we move on to better things."

Embroidered jacket.

And there are others, some serious, some gay, and all helpful. Some of these come engraved on brass with black wood frame, and they are quite the thing for bachelors' dens.

A Smart Tailor Made.

To leave the subject of Christmas presents, I want to tell you of a very smart tailor made I saw, or, I beg your pardon I should say visiting costume of such an elaborate affair as this one. The material was gun metal gray chiffon velvet embroidered with gray and silver chenille embroidery. The jacket hung loose over a wide, crinkled belt of gray velvet. The fullness of the sleeves is plaited in at the wrist, and the ruled skirt flared all the way out from the little embroidered hip yoke.

I notice, by the way, that many large patterns and broadcloths are being made up. They are worn with soft silk blouses and velvet hats of a deeper purple trimmed with shaded lavender and white ostrich tips which rest softly against the hair.

AN EXQUISITE EVENING COAT.

If the term rococo may be applied to clothes this ornately beautiful white lace coat deserves the name. Accordion plaited yellow taffeta is the foundation of this gorgeous wrap Over the silk applied on a thin lace background are motifs of heavy lace, through the meshes of which the colored lining shows effectively. A chiffon tie threaded through the lace at the neck hangs in long ends from two chiffon choux

The French sailor shape is being used again, this time for very dressy occasions. It is made of panne, of lace or of chiffon and velvet. I saw a very smart one in a box at the matinee the other day It was of black panne velvet trimmed all around the crown with a tremendously long white ostrich feather which drooped in the back against the hair. This was a very useful hat, for it could be worn with many costumes, and I can't see why any girl couldn't trim for herself just such a simple though smart model.

Kate Clyde

New York.

CONVULSIONS IN INFANTS.

When the cause is obscure a medical man should be called in. If this is impracticable the parent must aim at keeping the child as free from disturbing conditions as possible. Its clothings should be soft and loose. Laces, flannels, furs and other articles that occasion "tickling" and so promote irritability of temper ought never to come against the skin. If the child is restless folded towels soaked in ice cold water may with advantage be applied to the head. The treatment is more especially useful when the child is feverish. Every precaution should be taken against the little one being overheated in its bed. Many attacks result from the ineffectual efforts of the child to free itself from what is partial suffocation. It is taken to its parents' bed, and when they are asleep it slowly slips downward beneath an unendurable weight of bedclothing and with a full grown adult on each side. The parental bed is no fit place for a child of any age.

There are minor matters, things that many would deem beneath notice, but which are sufficiently powerful to determine whether a child shall have an attack. It is in attention to these details that the nursing instinct makes itself apparent and in their ignoring that so many women prove themselves quite unfitted for the care of little children.

For one instance flies may irritate a babe, for another it may be placed in a perambulator and be driven in the blaze of the sun or blinding dust; for a third, it may be dressed with every regard for show, but with none whatever for comfort Then its body linen may be neglected and the little limbs be made sore. There is yet another common cause of mischief—keeping a child awake to be shown to friends when it should be resting its little nervous system in sleep. A mother has been even known to order her sleeping babe to be brought into the drawing room, careless whether it was thereby awakened.

WONDERFUL JEWELS.

Beautiful as are the jewels of Queen Alexandra and the German empress, they become almost insignificant when compared with the Russian crown jewels. Indeed, the czarina herself has not even seen all her jewels, which are stored in 150 safes and are under the care of eleven attendants while six court dignitaries are responsible for them.

One of the most interesting articles in the whole of the collection is a jeweled cape which is a mass of diamonds and other precious stones. It is not large, but nevertheless it is so weighty that it can only be worn for a few minutes at a time. In the czarina's private collection of jewels is a chain of flawless emeralds which she prizes immensely, for she, like her grandmother, Queen Victoria, cares for emeralds far more than for any other precious stones.

Generally the czarina wears little jewelry, but on state occasions she sometimes seems fairly ablaze with diamonds and other precious stones. On her wedding day her gown was studded all over with gems, and the czar's crown contained a hundred of the finest white diamonds.

A GRAY MARQUISE HAT.

Gray shirred velvet and gray zibeline are the materials combined in this becoming little hat. The crown trimming is of accordion plaited taffeta in three shades of gray. Four spotted quills are stuck through the underbrim at the left side.

A MANDARIN HOUSE JACKET.

Fortunate is the woman who owns such a piece of Chinese embroidery with which to make a jacket like the one illustrated. The foundation of this beautiful coat is of dark blue satin, and it is lined with the same material in a bright gold color. The border and applied motifs are embroideries taken from the coat of a mandarin.

Some Women In The Public Eye

A NOTABLE autumn hunting trip in the Rockies of Colorado was recently finished by Miss Anna Morgan, daughter of J. Pierpont Morgan. Miss Morgan is as distinguished in the field of feminine hunting and shooting as her father is in the realm of finance. She has not been to India to shoot big game, like that British woman Nimrod, Lady Constance Mackenzie, but she has shot beasts equally glorious in a sportsman's eye with tigers and wild boars.

At the close of the fashionable seaside season Anna Morgan packed her trunk with a rough, very short skirt or two, some heavy brown shoes, a felt hat, a sweater and other appurtenances for roughing it away from civilization, then packed one of her father's special cars with necessaries for camping out, invited two or three girls and some other friends to join her and sped away on a hunting trip. She took a kitchen man or two along to cook and do the housework, but no maids to dress her or her companions.

"No maid could stand such roughing it," said Miss Morgan, which is true. "Ladies' ladies" and "gentlemen's gentlemen" are the last folk to endure being deprived of soft beds and luxurious little comforts.

Anna Morgan can rough it and be happy riding a broncho astride, wading knee deep in a trout stream, climbing a mountain peak or tracking a deer in the forest. During the recent Colorado hunting trip she is said to have brought down not only a brace of deer (all the game laws allow one person to shoot), but also to have killed a splendid elk. Lynxes, mountain lions, bears and wildcats were some of the game the party hunted.

The financier's daughter won the unqualified admiration of the old Rocky mountain guides who accompanied the party. The trip lasted four weeks. It was the third or fourth expedition of the kind Miss Morgan has made, and another next season has already been arranged for. The principal camp of the party is on Trappers' lake. They rode through the wilderness 125 miles by broncho, sleeping in tents at night. Three tents—one for the ladies, another for the gentlemen of the party, a third for the guides and servants—constituted the Rocky mountain camp of which Anna Morgan was the leading spirit. She is also a noted woman athlete at home in New York and a famous lawn tennis expert.

By an odd coincidence Great Britain's most noted young sportswoman, Lady Constance Mackenzie, was in Colorado at the same time Miss Morgan was, though the Scotch girl did not go to hunt, but merely to visit a friend. Lady Constance has visited America so quietly the present season that few knew Britain's champion woman swimmer and hockey player was among us.

Lady Constance Mackenzie.

The king and queen of England are strong advocates of swimming as an exercise for women and have attended some of the great competitions for the Ladies' Challenge shield at the Bath club matches. To win this a woman must stand the test of breast stroke swimming, two kinds of fancy swimming, motionless floating and springboard and high diving. Lady Constance passed all the tests and won three years in succession. She has achieved a high dive of thirty feet. She is a surprisingly graceful swimmer besides.

Lady Constance is heir to the title now held in her own right by Lady Cromartie, elder sister of Lady Constance. A recent photograph of Constance in the costume of her native Scotland shows her as a very beautiful, high spirited looking girl with a figure whose lithe grace and strength the highland kilts set off to charming advantage. She is now only twenty-one years old, yet she has made a hunting trip in northern India in a district where not many sportsmen go. She went so far into the wilds among the hills that nothing was heard of her for a long time, and her friends became somewhat alarmed. However, she turned up again safe and sound, as the fearless always do. She has been nearly all over the world. This fine girl did not come to America heart free. She was betrothed some time ago to a gallant Irishman, Captain Fitzgerald of a British hussar regiment. He is as fond of outdoor sports as his sweetheart, so it is said.

Soon to enter Wellesley college as a student is a young lady who will attract more attention than any other girl there. She is Miss Kang Tung Bac, a sweet, bright faced Chinese girl now in the United States. She will take the full four years' course in civics, political economy and kindred subjects. After completing her studies at Wellesley Kang Tung Bac will travel through Europe, making special study of the governments there. She is a tiny creature, only seventeen years old. When she is dressed in western women's costume she looks much like a large doll, yet Miss Tung is here as the apostle of an important public mission, no less than that of furthering the aims of the great reform party of China. She will spend the time between now and the opening of the next college year at Wellesley in lecturing through America trying to enlist interest in reform for China. She is doing what, so far as is known, nobody ever did before—forming associations among Chinese women to work for the good of their country. Naturally she does this in America, for it would not be allowed in China, but the hope of the Chinese reform party is to interest the yellow people here as well as Americans themselves in the great cause of modernizing an oriental people. Miss Kang says:

"Ever since I was eleven years old I have been preparing for this work. My father wanted me to do it, and I wanted to also. He has no sons, but I have a sister on a newspaper in Macao, China. My mother did not like to have me leave her, but she is willing to give me up to my country."

To this end she was born, little Kang Tung Bac believes. She is now traveling through the eastern states of the Union lecturing to both Chinese and whites, organizing Chinese women's reform associations, and the few women of her race here are astonishingly ready to throw themselves into the movement that promises so much to them, almost more than their men. The reform association is bringing Chinese girls to America to be educated, then to return and teach the oppressed women at home. Little Kang Tung says:

"Everything depends on the Chinese woman. Only through the mother can the child be taught. If the Chinese women will educate themselves and assert themselves they will be treated more as American women are treated. I want to teach women in China their powers. I want them to vote. They ought to have a half voice in the government. We must make our people realize that the women are every bit as good as the men."

Uphill work, that last, tiny Kang Tung Bac, and not yet accomplished even in America.

But at any rate the pretty little Chinese girl has shown us that there is a strong, living new woman movement even in China. She believes that the dowager empress is in league with Russia to break up the Chinese empire. The reform party desires to seat the young emperor really on the throne and have him rule in the old woman's place. Miss Tung advocates American ways till it comes to dress for women; then she says America women would far better adopt the Chinese woman's garb, which is loose, comfortable and sensible.

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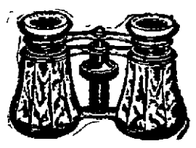

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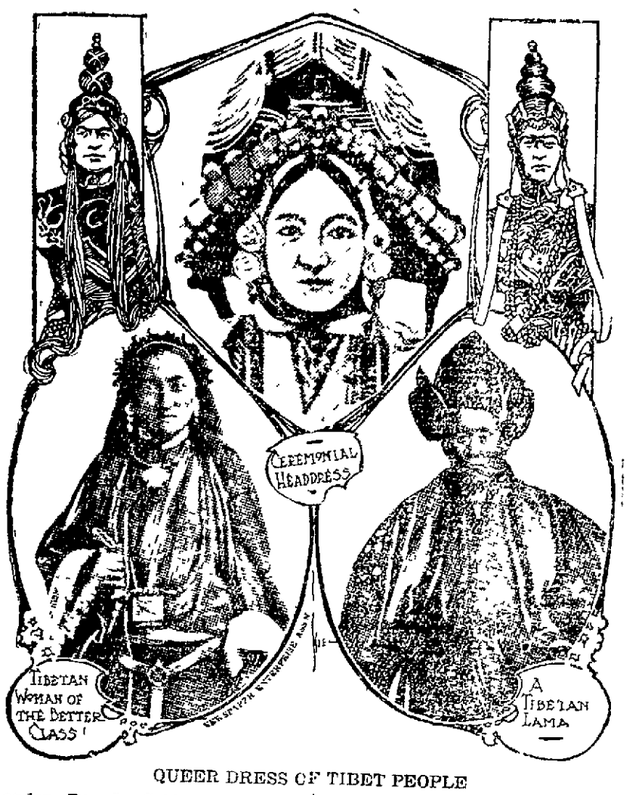

QUEER DRESS OF TIBET PEOPLE

London, Dec. 5.—Cable advices from India indicate that the English government has decided to no longer delay the opening up to civilization of mountain-bound Thibet, or Tibet, the mysterious country of the Lamas, or Buddhist priests, which lies across the high-peaked Himalayas from India.

The dispatches said that Colonel Younghusband commander of the expedition which started for the far interior of Tibet, and who had reached a point well within the borders of that isolated land had been refused permission by Dalai Lama, the chief priest, to proceed any further. He accordingly intrenched his force and hastened back to India, where he is rapidly organizing reinforcements with which to proceed to his original destination.

The point to which the expedition will move is said to be Gyangtse, a place on the right bank of the Penanangchu river, which is a tributary of the great Brahmaputra, or Machang Sangpo of the Thibetans. From Gyangtse, which will probably be made a base of the further operations, there are two roads to Lhasa, the capital of Tibet, one down the valley of the Penanangchu, which takes a sweep to the westward toward Shigatse an important town near its junction with the Brahmaputra; the other trends to the eastward to a point where there is an iron chain bridge across the Brahmaputra, at a comparatively short distance from Lhasa. There is another iron chain bridge across the Brahmaputra, about 50 miles above Shigatse connecting with the route into Tibet.

What resistance the Tibetans are in a position to make is of course, not generally known but there have been persistent reports during the last three years of supplies of arms and ammunition having been sent to Lhasa from Russian Turkestan and of missions passing between the two governments. Resistance will, of course, force the British government to carry the matter through to the end and push on to the capital of the Lamas.

Though a comparatively unknown country, Tibet appears to be not without temptations to the exploiter. Colonel Younghusband, who is with the expedition as political officer assisted by Mr. H. H. Green, of the Indian public works department, and Mr. Ney Elias and others, have at different times penetrated the country and some very interesting information has been obtained on a great variety of subjects.

Tibet is rich in undeveloped mineral treasures, and occasionally some of the precious metals find their way to market. In western Tibet gold is found in paying quantities in a number of places, such as Sarthol, Thok Jalung and Thok Daurakpa, whose names will probably soon be well known when the way to them has been opened. At Thok Jalung the gold fields are said to be extensive. There are also valuable salt mines at a place called Crakchaka, in the same district as the two other localities first named.

Of the political and other reasons that have determined the British government to action in Tibet at this particular time we are still ignorant. According to Indian bazar rumors there are many Russians with the Tibetans, but this may be doubted, for it was only last month that the Russo-Chinese bank opened a branch in Calcutta, and it is hardly likely to have taken that step if the Russian government was disposed to be an active ally of Tibet in the hostilities even then plainly impending.

PRINCESS LOUISE WON FAME AS SCULPTOR AND ARTIST

SHE WAS PRINCESS LOUISE

London, Dec. 5.—The duchess of Argyll, still better known to most of King Edward's loving subjects under her old name of Princess Louise, is at the present moment the most successful of royal artists. From earliest childhood she showed a marked aptitude for both sculpture and drawing and she has given up many years of her life to serious study at one time working daily with her cousin, the genial and kindly sculptor who, though a prince preferred to be known as Count Gleichen.

Princess Louise is very proud of the fact that she has had her work exhibited, e.g., in foreign galleries, where the quality of the artist was quite unsuspected. She is fonder of sculpture than of oil painting or of water color and she has done some really fine statuary, particularly charming being the resentment of her own mother as "The Garden Monarch."

This extremely attractive and original statue is in Kensington gardens. The princess is as fond of traveling as is the duke of Argyll, and together they have made more than one long and romantic journey on the continent, deliberately choosing those places where

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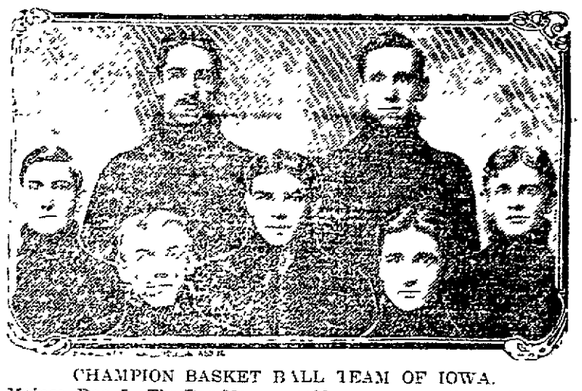

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LAVANDERIA'S DEBACLE

By ELIZA ARCHARD CONNER

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EMILE ZOLA employed the word "debacle" to signify a great catastrophe, a rupture, a deluge, a bursting forth. A bursting forth is a breaking out, and if ever a woman broke out on this planet that woman was Lavanderia. So we say "Lavanderia's debacle."

The first time the boarders saw Lavanderia was on a high church holiday, one of those grand occasions which intervene, let us say, about twice a week in Manila. When it comes to observing saints' days there is more religion to the cubic inch in the Tagalo than in any other living creature. Wild horses could not drag him to his ordinary vocations on such a day. In the morning he stands at the street hydrant with as little clothing on him as the law allows, none at all if there be no policeman by, and pours water upon himself till he is wet all over, which is his idea of taking a bath. Then he dries himself in the sun, puts himself into his new embroidered holy week shirt and smokes and meditates and sometimes steps out to church in all his glory.

The little brown Tagalo wife, more modest and devout, pours water over herself in her own little patch of back yard, greases her black hair with cocoanut oil, patting it down till it shines like a mirror, then dons her grandest attire and goes to church.

It was on her way to church that the boarders first saw Lavanderia attired in the style of Filipino high art and fashion. She was bareheaded, and behind her in the dust dragged some eighteen inches of the rounded red cotton tail of her gown. No Tagalo lady would be "dressed up" without that terminal to her skirt. Her little brown feet were bare save for small wooden soled slippers that clattered and dragged upon the ground as she walked.

Thus festively attired, Lavanderia floated like a vision past the house of the boarders one high saint day. Astride her left hip rode a child of two years or thereabout, her left arm encircling him. This is the Tagalo way of carrying babies. The boy wore a shirt reaching down to his waist; beyond that nothing. This is the Tagalo way of dressing babies. It gives them ringworm to clothe them below the waist, he saying is. The boy did not belong to Lavanderia, however, as she carefully explained to the boarders when she came to know them better. He was merely "the son of her brother of her," and she was minding him out of pure good nature. To add to the attractiveness, as it were, of the picture she made that day, she carried between her lips a huge Manila cigar that looked like a young battering ram.

As she passed she lifted her face and deliberately measured with her eyes the white men who were looking down

SHE FLOATED LIKE A VISION PAST THE HOUSE.

from the windows. She had thus adorned herself to make an impression on them, had this fiery hearted, red, black, brown creature. And not all the redness of her train and the shine of her greased black hair could obscure the brightness of her eyes as she threw their glance upward. They were strange eyes, large, black and glittering like the eyes of a cat. In spite of her cigar and the young one aride on her hip, she looked impressive, like a volcano goddess.

She was a lavandera, which sounds grand in Spanish. Like so many other things grand in Spanish, however, it becomes only mean and measly when turned into blunt English. In brief, she was a wash lady.

She came to the house next morning humbly enough, asking to be permitted to do the laundering of the gentlemen's dazzling white linen suits. She was a widow—a "vinda"—she told them, and very poor. Her husband had run away and joined the insurgent army and got himself killed by the soldados Americanos. If the senores would give her their linen to renovate it would enable her to buy food. Those of the boarders who were up in literature thought of Du Maurier's Trilby and granted her petition. Besides that, they gave her the name of Lavanderia.

So it happened that Lavanderia became wash lady in ordinary to the white men of the Manila boarding house. She did the linen skillfully at first and even returned it no more than a week later than she had promised. Then the Tagalo nature got the better of her, and she began to lapse. Aaron Burr of the famous motto, "Never do today what you can put off till tomorrow," would have been enraptured with the Tagalos. Not only will they not do today what they can put off till tomorrow, but they never do it at all until forced by dire necessity. So Lavanderia of the weird, passionate eyes began to lag with the linen. Worst of all, as time went on she manifested an uncomfortable tendency to court the boarders. This was before the shock came. Singling out two likely bachelors, she bestowed on them lavish attention. She brought them bouquets for their rooms. She sat beside them, close as the torridity of the temperature would permit, and manifested a disposition to stay there forever, smoking meanwhile as many cigarettes as the benevolent white men were willing to supply her with.

Plainly, Lavanderia wanted to marry one of the white gentlemen. Such things had been, and white men, Spaniards and Frenchmen, now and then an Englishman, had wedded brown women in the Philippines. At least if one of the big hombres Americanos would not take her permanently he might marry her for a little while, and even that was better than being tied to a brown stableman or house servant for a whole lifetime.

One of the bachelors escaped and went elsewhere to lodge, leaving the other to bear the whole brunt of Lavanderia's lovemaking. This was hard on the man who was left. Lavanderia came at early morn and dewy eve, sitting sadly silent, fastening her shining dark eyes upon the one face, transfixing with their tender gaze the bachelor who was left. She persecuted him with her attentions; she bade him to her hut of woven nipa palm; she invited him to attend in her blissful company native dances and feasts of roast pig and rice till he could scarce stir from home without the uncomfortable consciousness that somehow the brown wash lady would discover it and know where he went. He was a tender hearted youth, although city born and bred, and he could not think of taking away the laundering from Lavanderia. Did she not depend on this work for her bread? Presently the whole neighborhood began to take an interest in Lavanderia's love affair. The evil minded world, ever ready to believe wrong of a man just because he is a man, could not be convinced that he had not taken the initiative in the case. He groaned inwardly as he thought to himself, "If mother could only see me now!"

One Sunday afternoon, "dressed to kill," a new red gingham train streaming behind her like the fiery tail of a comet, her hair shining with an extra greasing and patting, the fair brown widow came to invite and accompany the object of her affections to a native dance. The tender heart which at all times stood in his way so restrained him that he did not wish to hurt her feelings even then. He told her to go on to the ball, and he would come by and by.

"Poco tiempo?" (in a little time) she asked.

"Yes, yes," answered the embarrassed bachelor.

"In an hour maybe?" persisted the enchantress.

"Yes, yes," again replied the troubled bachelor.

"Then I wait," said Lavanderia. She dropped her straw slippers outside the threshold, tucked her fiery train about her knees and squatted down, Tagalo fashion, in the very front door of the mansion, in full view of all who passed. "I wait," she repeated tranquilly.

For a young white man to be seen walking on the open street of a Sunday afternoon with a brown widow dressed in the height of all her heathen finery, with scores of waggish American soldiers and all his own acquaintances looking on at the show, was more than his nerves could bear. But to have the same "viuda" squatting barefoot and familiarly upon his front door step in sight of all the world was even worse. The bachelor softly withdrew from the chair in which he had been sitting near the door.

The hour passed by the clock. The brown widow with the fiery train sat the bachelor out fair and square. Perspiration had gathered upon his brow. He pulled himself together and informed Lavanderia in his broken Yankee Spanish that in the nick of time he remembered how he had made an engagement for that afternoon, and it would consequently be impossible for him to attend the Tagalo ball at all. Thereupon, murmuring her regrets in broken Tagalo Spanish, Lavanderia gathered up her brilliant train, stuck her toes into her slippers and tore herself away.

The bachelor breathed once more. It seemed to him life was again worth living. He gave the fair lavandera time to get clean away to the ball. Then he donned his best white linen suit and his best white Manila hat with the folds of ivory silk around it and sallied forth, anywhere, anywhere to escape the atmosphere of that dread presence. Thus he rushed unconscious on his soul's trial. With that spiritual intuition which, we are told, still lingers pure and unadulterated in savage races Lavanderia had perceived his strategy and balked it. She drew her dusty bare feet up under her upon a table in front of a palm shed near the street crossing and waited for her prey. When it came she pounced upon it. Like a cat, she jumped from the table to his side and started to convoy the handsome white youth in triumph to the dusky ball.

His feelings at that moment he could never afterward find language to describe. Only a professor of profane language could have done justice to the situation, and that the young man was not. He had not been in Manila long enough. He simply broke heartlessly and ruthlessly from that tender, detaining clasp and ran for his life. Lazy Manilese dwelling along a quiet side street who had awakened from their afternoon siesta were astonished at the spectacle of a long legged young

"THEN I WAIT."

man clad in snowy white running as if the fiend were after him—as it was, indeed, only that time it could not catch him.

What wonder that under the burden of Lavanderia's love the bachelor became pale and restless and could no longer sleep nights! It was harder on him than being in love himself. He grew dyspeptic and smoked more than was good for him.

The Spanish word for "trouble" is of the masculine gender, and very properly. One morning early a chewed up little brown monkey of a man was seen to enter the leafy hut where dweit Lavanderia. He carried a shabby, small yellow trunk that might have contained either clothing or ammunition to be smuggled to the insurrectos.

Immediately arose a tremendous commotion. Dogs barked, poultry cackled, children screamed. Presently emerged from the dusty litterage Lavanderia. She was in a state of volcanic eruption. Never since the days of the bacchantes was enacted a drama more furious. Lavanderia hurled things about all over, boxes, rags, red robes, slippers, ironing boards, mats and saints' pictures. You have read in novels how people tear their hair, but perhaps have never seen anybody do it. Lavanderia did it literally. She dragged the confining comb from her long, oily locks and clawed them this way and that till she looked like a fury. She was a fury for the time. Her climax was to rush to the shallow ditch beside the street, throw herself into it and roll over and over. She tore up handfuls of grass and dust and scattered them over herself and upon the surrounding air. Her brown neighbors and friends did not interfere with her, but gathered in a ring around her off at a safe distance to see the show.

All the while there issued from her lips strange, monkeylike screams and jabberings, half Spanish, half Tagalo—to wit:

"Matrimony no good, husband no good, no want husband, no want matrimony, husband much bad, matrimony much bad, no want matrimony, no want husband—ang pang bang, macayuyung, matrimonio mucho malo, marido mucho malo, pag bag dagumag!"

This performance was merely the proper Tagalo manner of expressing the unpleasant emotions of the delicate feminine mind.

The truth was Lavanderia was not a "viuda" at all. She had a living husband, large as life—large as Tagalo life, that is, which is not much of a size. She was a-weary of him and desired to change him for one of the tall white gentleman boarders opposite. Her husband had been in Aguinaldo's army fighting the Americans, but had got away and come home.

Never was a husband more unwelcome than this withered up looking little brown man. The shock was more than Lavanderia could bear.

Suddenly she stopped rolling upon the ground, raised herself to a sitting posture and glared about her. At the diagonal street corner stood two American soldiers doing police duty in that part of Manila. They were beardless boys, yet tall, good looking and well grown. They wisely deemed it unnecessary to interfere with Lavanderia's show. The fact is they wanted to see the fun as much as anybody. Lavanderia perceived them and, with heaven knows what wild, yearning thoughts in her breast, made a dive for them.

"Ang pang bang igalang, marido mucho malo!"

The soldier nearest her was very young, pink cheeked and curly haired, yet having withal a sense of humor befitting the finished man of the world. He waved his arms toward her tragically and "shooed" her off.

"Go way, woman!" he cried. "Go way! I don't want you! I'm a married man!"

THE LIVER LECTURE FAD

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NOVEL DEPARTURE TO BE MADE.

Mayfair Invited by Well Known Society Woman to Hear Problem of "Do We Eat Too Much?" Discussed. Crusade to Be Started Against Decollete Costumes.

"Do we eat too much?" is the query that has recently been disputing honors with tariff proposals as the burning question of the hour in London, says the New York Herald.

The newspapers have been full of letters on the topic, and it is a subject of frequent reference at all the music halls and at some theaters.

Barrie with his Little Mary set the ball rolling, and Pinero with his high tea proposals gave it an extra fillip. The king's name has been utilized by those people who claim that Englishmen and also Englishwomen do eat too much, and it is asserted that ever since his return from Marienbad his majesty has been strictly limiting his diet, with the result that he looks in better health than for years past.

Some of the fashionable doctors, ever prompt to study fads of the moment, have laid down the axiom, "Drink little and eat less." Now it is announced that a novel departure is to be made in London this winter.

In connection with this crusade a well known woman resident in Mayfair intends to entertain her friends in an original way. On eight consecutive Wednesdays eight different medical men are to deliver a "liver lecture" at her house in Mayfair. It is hoped by this course to induce west end men and women to abandon the habit of overeating.

"Year by year," says this woman, whose social standing is vouched for by that well known writer on society topics, Marmaduke, "dozens of my friends come to me in July and tell me they are on the eve of leaving for Homburg to be treated for indigestion contracted by months of eating in excess."

"Were one of them to come and confess that he or she was about to go to an inebriates' home to recover from the consequences of drinking in excess I should be shocked, and probably the man or woman who made the confession would blush and ask me to keep the matter secret. There is much less drinking in the west end now than there was even ten years ago, especially among men, but the habit of having luncheons and dinners at restaurants has certainly increased the numbers of those who eat in excess.

"The philanthropist goes to the east end and warns the poor against the consequences of drink. He gives them lectures with magic lanterns showing what spirits do and circulates teetotal tracts by hundreds of thousands. I shall be a missionary in Mayfair. Piccadilly wants philanthropists. The rich shall be reclaimed. Inconsistency is inexcusable.

"I go to the theater," continues this missionary, "and see ballet girls on the stage either in very short skirts or dressed as boys. Were one of those girls to walk in the streets in either costume the police would hurry her off to the police station. I go to dinner, and all the women have bared shoulders, bared arms and half bared backs. Were one of them to call on me in the afternoon in that condition most of my visitors would be shocked, and all would certainly tell the town that this lady was mad.

"Either short skirts and boys' clothing and bared shoulders and backs are unbecoming or they are not. They cannot be proper in one place and at a certain period of the day and improper at other hours.

"But custom regulates costume, you say. It, however, does not regulate conscience—at least it should not. East end men and women cannot understand our west end costumes for evening wear. They shock them. Just as west end people go to the east end and preach against intoxication, so I will bring east end orators to my Wednesday receptions to preach against west end inconsistencies. Reform, like charity, should begin at home."

If this missionary persists in her intentions, there will be considerable excitement in Mayfair this winter.

World's Tour In an Auto.

E. E. Smathers of New York, millionaire broker and race horse owner, is to tour the world in an automobile. He will make the trip in a specially constructed machine. The chauffeur is a Harvard graduate. Mr. Smathers will be accompanied by his valet and two friends. The trip as contemplated will take four months and embrace Europe, Asia and Africa and the island possessions of the United States. Mr. Smathers and his friends will leave New York on Jan. 16. The trip to San Francisco will be made by rail. From San Francisco the party will sail for Honolulu.

Husking Bee In a Church.

The dignified walls of the First Methodist church at Maryville, Kan., saw some uncommon doings a few nights ago when the Epworth league held a regular old fashioned country husking bee within them, says the Kansas City Journal. After all the red ears had been found there was a wheelbarrow race between four young women. It was a rather new way to serve the Lord, but probably the Lord was as well pleased as if the young folks had all sat around long faced and pious-like and thought mean things about each other and cata other's clothes.

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J. Wayne Ames is dead at Gypsum City, Cal. Mr. Ames was known over a large section of the West, and especially in Kansas, as the exact double of Abraham Lincoln. He was a newspaper man nearly all his life.

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Diseases of the heart have greatly increased in Germany in recent years, one person in evry seven being now afflicted. Influenza, alcoholism and excessive addiction to bicycling and other sports are named by Dr. Steckel as the chief causes.

An arrangement has been made by the railway companies and the customs department whereby baggage from the United States may be examined by the inspectors some miles befor reaching the Canadian border in order to prevent delay.

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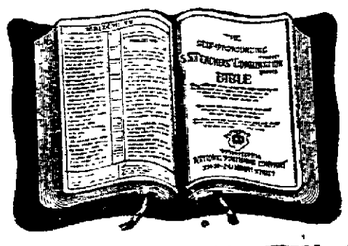

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